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This correspondence is responsive to the restriction requirement set forth in the office action dated September 24, 2002. The restriction requirement divided the claims into two groups. Group I includes claims 1, 3-7 and 10. Group II comprises claims 22-44. Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the claims of Group II (i.e. claims 22-44) for examination on the merits.

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